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A Newly Identified Manuscript of Āryaśūra's *Pāramitāsamāsa* in the *Gilgit Buddhist Manuscripts*¹

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Recently, the present writer came to know that a single folio (Serial No. 57) in the *Gilgit Buddhist Manuscripts* (= GBM) is a part of manuscript of the $P\bar{a}ramit\bar{a}sam\bar{a}sa$ composed by Āryaśūra. According to the previous classification of GBM, this folio was classified as a part of a manuscript of the *Bhaiṣajyagurusūtra*. However, due to the poor condition

In autumn 2011, the National Archives of India (New Delhi) and the International Research Institute for Advanced Buddhology at Soka University (Tokyo) agreed on publishing a new facsimile edition of the Gilgit manuscripts — except those of the *Saddharmapunḍarīkasūtra* — now deposited at the former organization. This joint project is conducted under the general editorship of Dr. Oskar von Hinüber (Prof. Emeritus, Freiburg University), Prof. Seishi Karashima and the present author (IRIAB, Soka University). The manuscripts are re-classified (though retaining their original serial number) according to their genre such as *Vinaya* texts, the *Mahāyānasūtras*, *avadānas* and so on. Our joint publication contains the photographs which are newly taken in color, a concordance to editions and to parallels in Chinese and/or Tibetan, and up-to-date surveys of research on individual texts. The superior quality of the new color facsimile edition will allow scholars working on the Gilgit manuscript easily to distinguish parts of letters from the stains on the birch-bark and read the manuscripts more precisely. This paper is a result of our joint project and was made possible by reading the new photographs.

All the manuscripts of the Saddharmapunḍarīkasūtra (serial Nos. 44, 45, 47, 48, 49) from Gilgit are jointly published by the National Archives of India, Soka Gakkai, and the Institute of Oriental Philosophy: Saddharmapunḍarīkam: Gilgit Lotus Sutra manuscripts from the National Archives of India = インド国立公文書館所蔵ギルギット法華経写本 [Indo kokuritsu kōbunshokan shozō Girugitto Hokekyō shahon], (Lotus Sutra manuscript series 12) 2012, Tokyo. ISBN 978-4-88417-031-8.

At this point, I would like to thank Dr. Shayne Clarke, who took trouble in checking and correcting my unidiomatic English. Needless to say, any errors which remain are of my own.

For example, editors of the GBM, Raghu Vira and Lokesh Chandra, classified this manuscript as follows: "57. Bhaisajyaguru-sūtra. It is a single folio, bearing the number 2" [Preface in part 10, 1974, p. 10]; Schopen 1977, 1978, and Matsumura 1982. Gregory Schopen, who edited the Gilgit Bhaisajyagurusūtra text in his doctoral dissertation (Schopen 1978), does not support GBM's attribution (see Schopen 1977: 206): "The two mss. consisting of a single leaf are nos. 32 and 57 (I have not yet been able to find no. 57 on my microfilm and so have had to take Chandra's word that it is a ms. of Bhg. [= Bhaisajyagurusūtra, abbreviation expanded by N.K.])." Later again Schopen points out that "Two other Gilgit fragments — serial no. 52, facsimile no. 3306 and serial no. 57, facsimile nos. 3257-3258 — have been identified as possibly being from manuscripts of the Bhaisajyaguru-sūtra, but neither, it now seems, are" (2009: 194, 16-18). See also Buddhist Text Information No. 14, March 1978, pp. 1-3. (Cf. As to serial no. 52, facsimile no. 3306, see p. 358 of above replica edition of the Saddharmapundarīkasūtra. In the margin of the pasteboard of the fragment, a remark concerning its attribution is written as "[Bhaisajya] (probably by the editors). Actually this fragment is a right part of folio 102 of no. 44.) Matsumura 1982 lists all the materials of the Bhaisajyagurusūtra not only in Sanskrit but also in Tibetan and Chinese translations; among them, although six Gilgit manuscripts including a single folio of No. 57 are mentioned as Sanskrit sources, he himself could not utilize this folio because its condition in the facsimile edition was

of the photos and the illegibility of the published facsimile edition (first ed. in 1974; second/revised in 1995) it was difficult for scholars to utilize this manuscript to the point that no textual description of this folio was made. Consequently, scholars inevitably have had to accept the classification made by the editors of the *GBM*—, even if they have not been able to identify this manuscript as belonging to the *Bhaiṣajyagurusūtra*.

Moreover, a text of the *Pāramitāsamāsa* was edited on the basis of a sole manuscript kept in the National Archives of Nepal, Kathmandu and studied. To date, this manuscript written in Newārī script, probably between the 13th to 14th centuries, has been believed to be the only extant manuscript of this text. Therefore, our newly identified manuscript is a only the second known Sanskrit manuscript of the *Pāramitāsamāsa* and it is considerably older than the Nepalese manuscript.

1. About Manuscript

This manuscript (Serial no. 57³) is a single folio of birch bark written in Gilgit/Bāmiyan, Type II (Protośāradā),⁴ having 9 lines on the recto and 10 lines on the verso, approximately 51 letters per line; its size is 38.4 cm long and 6.8 cm high and a part of the first line of the verso is damaged (for its appearance, see the black/white facsimile nos. 3257/3258, *GBM* volume 10, part 10)⁵. There is a string hole on the left half-side of the folio (both sides) between lines 4 and 6; a space for the string hole is somewhat squarish⁶. It bears the folio number 2 on the recto side.

so bad and thus illegible (1982: 77).

On its manuscript cover made of thick paper, the following description is found, probably written after the Gilgit manuscripts were shifted to New Delhi (1947): "S No. 57, 1 leaf / Box No. 5 / Bhaishajanya [sic.] Guru Sutram / bhaiṣajyaguru sūtram [in Devānāgarī]." In this description, we find the remark "Box no. 5." It is not clear to what this refers, but as far as we know from Lokesh Chandra (1959: 135), all the Gilgit manuscripts which had been transferred from Srinagar to New Delhi were "preserved in five big boxes," It might be a mere coincidence that the manuscripts were in five boxes when they were found at mound C of finding site in Gilgit (see Hackin's report in Lévi 1932: 15 ["Le centre est occupé par les fragments de cing poteaux de bois, le cinquième étant entouré par les quatre antres"]). (This is mere speculation but does the 'Box no.' indicate their original preservation in the site?) According to the manuscript covers, 'Box no. 1' contains the manuscripts of serial no. 1 (all Vinayavastus); 'Box no. 2' = those of serial nos. 2-23; 'Box no. 3' = those of serial nos. 24-28 [all the Prajñāpāramitā texts]; 'Box no. 4' = those of serial nos. 29-43; 'Box no. 5' = those of serial nos. 44-62 [= all Saddharmapundarīka manuscripts]. Serial numbers (1-62) were given when the manuscripts were preserved in Srinagar (see Bapat 1961-62. During 1957-60 when Bapat did research on the Gilgit manuscripts at the National Archives of India, he noticed that "There was also a list, prepared by the local pandits, of this collection ..." [p. 127]). This list in which the manuscripts were classified into 62 and given the details such as numbers of folio, titles known so far and so on — is slightly different from the list published by Lokesh Chandra 1959.

It is interesting to note that only two scripts are used in the GBM, namely Gilgit/Bamiyan Type I and Type II (or Protośāradā). The former is always used to write the manuscripts of Mahāyāna works and the later is used for writing non-Mahāyāna works such as *Vinaya* literatures, non-Mahāyāna *sūtras*, *avadāna* texts, *gāthās* and so on. There are some exceptions of which Gilgit/Bamiyan Type II or Protośāradā is used for transcribing the Mahāyāna texts, for example, *Bhaiṣajyagurusūtra* (No. 32, one folio = Dutt's A and Schopen's V), *Saṃghāṭasūtra* (No. 39, fifteen folios), *Pratītyasamutpādahṛdayakārikā* of Nāgārjuna (No. 61, three folios) and No. 57: *Pāramitāsamāsa*.

^{5.} A new facsimile edition including this folio will be published in Volume IV of our publication.

Cf. Hu-von Hinüber 1994; 36.

The author is Āryaśūra but he is not the same person as the author of the Jātakamālā.⁷ The date of this 'Āryaśūra' is not fixed; Meadows (see below) places the Pāramitāsamāsa "to around 7th or 8th Century A.D." (1986: 21). However, as is stated by herself, since the "only firm lower limit is the translation of the text into the Tibetan in the late 8th century", its exact dating is difficult to settle. According to paleographical studies, the script of this manuscript (Protośāradā) was used in 7th and 8th century. If this dating is accepted, this would mean that this Gilgit manuscript is earlier than its Nepalese counterpart (13–14th century)¹⁰ on the one hand and very close to an original text on the other hand. Furthermore, our Gilgit manuscript might be earlier than the Tibetan translation by Vairocanarakṣita (ca. 8th or 9th century). Therefore, the date of composition of this text should be considered to be at least earlier than 7th or 8th century.

Our folio contains text from the 6th verse to pāda c of the 46th verse of the first chapter (Dānapāramitā) of the *Pāramitāsamāsa*.

2. Previous Studies

As far as I know, there are three Sanskrit editions, namely Ferrari 1946, Meadows 1986 and Saito 2005. All three editions use the same manuscript material known to them at that time but their readings differ from each other.

Ferrari 1946 is the first edition of this text; she uses a modern copy of the Nepalese manuscript. Her edition is, according to Meadows, "based on a modern copy made in Nepal at the request of Professor Giuseppe Tucci ... Ferrari states that the ms. from which her copy was made was found in the library of the Mahārāja of Nepal"

Meadows 1986 is based on the palm-leaf manuscript written in Newārī¹² (abbreviated as "K." by Meadows) although she works through a microfilm. In the introduction of her book, she writes: "According to Mr. Dangol and Dr. Michael Witzel, ... the ms. was originally in the collection of the Rājguru, Hemrāj Pandit; upon his death in the early 1960s, his son arranged for the transfer of the manuscript collection to the Nepalese government and specifically to the Bir Library on the Trichandra campus; the manuscripts in the national collection were transferred to the National Library at Harihar Bhawan, Pulchowk, and finally to the present National Archives."¹³ It is unclear whether

^{7.} As to the author, see Meadows 1986: 1-21; Hahn 1982: 321-324; Saito 2005.

⁸ Meadows *op. cit.*, p. 21. Tibetan translation was done by Vairocanarakṣita; on his date, see Saito 2005: 9.

As to the dating of the script, see Sander 1986, 1989 (especially p. 111); Hu-.von Hinüber 1994: 37-40.

See Meadows 1986: 22.

^{11.} Meadows *op. cit.*, p. 21.

^{12.} According to the Nepalese-German Manuscript Cataloguing Project (NGMCP), its script is classified as 'Magadhi,' see http://catalogue.ngmcp.uni-hamburg.de/wiki/A_39-2_Pāramitāsamāsa [accessed: 20 Feb., 2013].

¹³ Meadows 1986: 22. On this history of the collection, de Jong 1989: 239, note 2, asks: "Is there any evidence showing that manuscripts from the library of the Mahārāja were later transferred to the collection of the Rājguru?"

K is indeed an original of Ferrari's copy¹⁴ but Meadows concludes that "on the basis of evidence I have in hand I believe K was the ms. from which Ferrari's copy was made."¹⁵ There are a number of discrepancies in the readings between the materials they used; Meadows discusses the relationship of K to Ferrari's copy and enumerates the differences (Meadows 1986: 25-37).

After Meadows book was published, de Jong published a review of her book (de Jong 1989); he criticizes her emendations and translation. Later he obtains a microfilm of manuscript K and again discusses her readings (de Jong 1991).

By 1986, we had had two Sanskrit editions; both editors also use a Tibetan translation by Vairocanarakṣita for correction but Ferrari "does not mention which particular edition of Tanjur was used" and Meadows "does not say anything about the Tibetan translation apart from remarking that 'All substantive emendations (those affecting meaning) were made by me on the basis of the Tibetan'." Saito (2005) published a comprehensive study of the Tibetan translation of the *Pāramitasamāsa*. In editing the Tibetan text, he uses editions from the Chone, Derge, Ganden, Narthang and Peking Tanjur along with a quotation in the *Lam rim chen mo* by Tsoń kha pa (two versions). Furthermore, he made preliminary observations on the Sanskrit text and compares in detail the readings of the previous two editions and the Sanskrit manuscript. (Unfortunately the present writer could not consult the Nepalese manuscript due to time constrains, but by using Saito's study I have been able to compare the Gilgit manuscript [= G, hereinafter] with the Nepalese manuscript).

3. Some remarks on the text

G's reading does not show significant differences with the aforementioned Sanskrit editions. However, at some points, particularly where editorial problems have been pointed out, G gives a better reading. In many cases, G corresponds well with the Tibetan translation. Here, however, one major divergence is worth noting in the sequence of verses.¹⁹

¹⁴ Saito who also reads this manuscript states that "Damit liefern die 47 besseren Lesarten bei F gegenüber K keinen zwingenden Beweis dafür, daß Fc nicht von K abhängig ist, …" (Thus, 47 better readings found in F deliver to K no compelling evidence that Fc does not depend on K …) (2005: 333).

¹⁵ Meadows 1986: 31. de Jong (1989: 234) remarks: "There is no doubt that both manuscripts are closely related to each other but this is not sufficient to suppose that F co is copied directly from K." After gaining a photocopy of K, he states that "F co. is a direct or indirect copy of K and that the differences between the two manuscripts are due to mistakes made by one or more copyists" (de Jong 1991: 181).

^{16.} Meadows' comment on Ferrari (Meadows 1986; 21).

^{17.} de Jong's comment on Meadows (de Jong 1989: 235). The sentence in single quotation marks is quoted from Meadows (1986: 36) by de Jong.

¹⁸. As to the Sanskrit text, Saito gives "corrections to Meadows' text" in his introduction (pp. 3-5); then discusses in detail orthographical features and readings in M, F, and K (pp. 319-335); and finally presents a Sanskrit text with his textual footnotes. (pp. 339-395).

In addition to the aforementioned editions, note Sato 1991–, in which Sato translates the first chapter of the $P\bar{a}ramit\bar{a}sam\bar{a}sa$ into Japanese with annotations.

^{19.} There are other cases where verse sequence in Sanskrit differs from that in the Tibetan translation:

Comparing the verse numbers given in the previous Sanskrit editions, viz., verse numbers of M and S, G preserves a different order; verse 26 in M, S corresponds to 28 in G and 27²⁰ in Tib. Likewise, M, S 27 = G 26 = Tib. 25; M, S 28 = G 27 = Tib. 26. There is another instance of verse disorder: M, S 33 = G 34 = Tib. 33; M, S 34 = G 33 = Tib. 32.²¹ As to the sequence of verses, G and the Tibetan translation are the same; only the text based on the Nepalese manuscript differs.

M, S	G	Tibetan
26	28	27
27	26	25
28	27	26
33	34	33
34	33	32

In the following, variant readings found in the previous editions, namely K, M, S and T, are noted under every verse; since M and S — including remarks by de Jong 1991 — used the same Nepalese manuscript, if there are differences in reading, that of K is mentioned separately (otherwise those of M and S are mentioned).

SYMBOLS USED:

F, F co: A copy of the manuscript used by Ferrari, probably of K^{22} .

G: GBM no. 57, a birch-bark manuscript, written in Proto-śāradā, one folio.

K: A palm-leaf manuscript in the National Archives of Nepal (No. 5-145, microfilm A 39/2), written in Newārī script. 10 folios.

M: Meadows' Sanskrit text.

S: Saito's Sanskrit text.

T: Tibetan translation of the *Pāramitāsamāsa* by Vairocanarakṣita, see Saito 2005.

() restored aksara(s)

[] damaged akṣara(s)

.. one illegible aksara

. illegible part of an akşara

/ danda

// double danda

* virāma

punctuation mark

II.60-65, III.13, IV.7, V.28, 62, see Saito 2005.

²⁰ The first verse in Sanskrit has no equivalent in Tibetan; thus the corresponding Tibetan translation starts from the second verse in Skt.

^{21.} Saito 2005: 92.

^{22.} In Meadows 1986, this material is called 'F co.' while Saito 2005 distinguishes two, namely 'F' and 'Fc'. 'F' indicates 'Sanskrit text edited by Ferrari' and 'Fc' indicates 'copy of manuscript.' Cf. de Jong 1989: 235: "... the abbreviation F co. for the copy used by Ferrari is rather clumsy. Why not use a single letter such as C?"

- : visarga used aspunctuation
- avagraha (not written in manuscript; it is added in brackets in the transliteration)
- O string hole
- h upadhmānīya [visarga + p/ph]
- \underline{h} jihvāmūlīya [visarga + k/kh]

[Pāramitāsamāsah Chapter 1: Dānapāramitāsamāsah]

TRANSLITERATION:

[2r1]yadā [ni]sṛṣṭo jagato mayāyaṃ kāyo (')pi tattyāgakṛto (')pi dharmmaḥ (/) bāhye tadā vastuni saṅgacittaṃ na me gajasnānam ivānurūpam* (// 6²³ //) a: K tisrsto²⁴, S yadātisrsto²⁵; M, S jagate

māṃsārthino māṃsam idaṃ harantu majjānam apy uddharatāṃ tadarthī • ahaṃ hi lokārtham idaṃ bibharmmi śarīrakaṃ kiṃ bata vastu bāhyam* (// 7 //) b: M uddharanāt²6, KS uddharatāt, T brus te khyer²7

yathā hi bhaiṣajyama[2r2]hīruhasya tvakpattrapuṣpādi janā haranti • madīyam ete (')paharanti caivaṃ [nai]naṃ vikalpās samudācaranti • (// 8 //) a: M, S yathaiva for yathā hi, c-d: M, S ceti naivam, d: M, S vikalpāh

tathaiva lokārthasamudyatena svalpo (')pi kāryo na mayā vikalpaḥ (/) duḥkhe kṛtaghne satatāśucau ca dehe parasmāy upayujyamāne • (// 9 //)

ādhyātmike caiva mahījalādye bāhye ma[2r3]hābhūta[ga]ņe ca tulye • idaṃ mamedaṃ na mameti ko (')yam ajñānapaṃkāṅkavidhir mmamāpi • (// 10 //) d: M, S mayāpi for mmamāpi²⁸

gṛhṇīta gāttrāṇy api me yatheṣṭaṃ mā kārṣur asmiṃ parakīyabuddhim* (/) yuṣmākam eva svam idaṃ hi sarvaṃ na svābhimāno mama kaścid attra : (// 11 //)

c: M, S kim artham for hi sarvam, K him artham²⁹, d: M, S nātmābhimāno for na svābhimāno

^{23.} Verse number is not given in the manuscript.

de Jong [1991: 181] reads K by himself and says: "The text of 6ab according to K is: yadābhisṛṣṭo jagate mayāyam / kāyo 'pi tattyāgakṛto 'poi dharmaḥ //"; see also Sato 1991: 113, note on v. 6-2.

^{25.} See S's textual note, p. 340, fn. 1; also cf. S. p. 79.

^{26.} Cf. de Jong 1989: 237.

^{27.} S's textual note, p. 340, fn. 2.

^{28.} See S's textual note (p. 340, fn. 3): "bdag gi für das dreimalige mama (in c und d) T"; cf. de Jong 1991: 181-2. According to de Jong, K reads mamāpi; F reads mayāpi. Also cf. Sato 1991: 112, note on v. 10-1.

^{29.} See M p. 158, 11c; cf. S p. 325, 1.19) 1.11c.

ity adbhutā yasya bhavanty abhīkṣṇaṃ saṃbuddha[2r4]bhāvānuguṇā vitarkāḥ (/) taṃ bodhisatvātiśayaṃ vadanti buddhā mahāsatvam aci⊙ntyasatvāḥ (// 12 //) a: K bhavantibhīksnam³⁰

evam sa dānapratipattiśūrah karoti kāye (')pi na jātv apekṣām* / tasyāprayatnād upayānti śuddhim karmmāni vākkāyamanomayāni • (// 13 //)

viśuddhakarmmā ca hitam pareṣām[2r5]m āyāsaduhkhena vinā karoti • ittham ca ś/mantyāyam abhiprapanno nayānaye kauśa⊙lam abhyupaiti • (// 14 //)

a: K vahitam for ca hitam³¹, c: M, S sa sattvārtham for ca śantyāyam; KS abhiprapanno³², M abhiprayatno

bhūyastaram prāpya phalam sa dānāt saddharmmadānena tatah karoti • bhavāndhakāre bhramatām janānām sūryodayāt spaṣṭataram prakāśam* (// 15 //) a: M, S balam for phalam T 'bras bu T (= phalam)³³

sādhāraṇā lokahitārtha[2r6]siddhis sarvajñabhāvābhyudayapratiṣṭhā • ato (')sya puṇyākṣayatābhyudeti pra\(C)bheva bhānor udayasthitasya • (// 16 //) a: M, S sādhāranī for sādhāranā

ity adbhutā dānamayā guṇaughā ye bodhisatvābharaṇībhavanti • yasmāt tadīyaṃ parikarmma cittaṃ dānasya kāruṇyapurassarasya • (// 17 //) c: M, S tasmāt for yasmāt; S citram, T rnam pa man³4

āyu[2r7]hpratībhānabalādi bauddham niṣpādayeyam jagatām anena / satvā mayā cāmiṣasamgṛhītā saddharmmapāttrāmy api me bhaveyuḥ (// 18 //) c: M, S -samgṛhītāh for -samgṛhītā³⁵

ity annadānam pratidāti vidvān na tas svasampattiparigrahāya : pānāny api kleśatṛṣaś śamāya lokasya lokārthacaro dadāti • (// 19 //)

a: M pradadāti for pratidāti, b: M, S vidvān na svarga- for vidvān na tas sva-, T ran gi phun sum tshogs pa (= svasya sampatti°)³⁶

bauddhasya caivarddhivi[2r8]cestitasya nirvāṇasaukhyasya ca sarvalokaḥ (/) lābhī kathaṃ syād iti lokanātho yānam mahāyānamatir ddadāti (// 20 //)

^{30.} M notes [158, 12a]: "yat prabhavanty F, (F co.)"; see also S's textual note (p. 341, fn. 1).

^{31.} See S's textual note (p. 341, fn. 2).

de Jong [1991: 182]. See also S's textual note (p. 341, fn. 3); also cf. S p. 330, 2.2.2) a) 1.14c (tn-/nn-).

^{33.} See S's textual note (p. 341, fn. 4); also cf. Sato 1991: 112, note on v. 15-1.

^{34.} See S's textual note (p. 341, fn. 5); also cf. S p. 326, 2.1. 1.17c.

^{35.} M notes [160, 18c]: "orthasamgahīnāh, F co."; cf. S p. 330 2.2. 2)a) 1.18c.

^{36.} See S's textual note (p. 342, fn. 1).

a: M, S °vicestitasya, K °vicestitasya³⁷, d: M, S mahāyānaratir for mahāyānamatir³⁸

saṃbuddhavarṇasya ca hemabhāso lajjāmayasyaiva ca bhūṣaṇasya³⁹ (/) niṣpattaye vastravidhīn udārām • satkrtya kālānuguṇām dadāti (// 21 //)

d: M, S kālānuguņam for kālānugunām

sambodhimaṇḍāsanam āsanā[2r9]ni • śayyāś ca śayyāttrayam īkṣamāṇas (/) sarvajñacakṣuḥpratilabdhaye ca caityeṣu rathyāsu ca dīpadānaṃ (// 22 //)

d: M, S dīpamālām for dīpadānam (T. reads: mar me dbul)

vādyāni divyaśrutisaṃgrahārtha[m*] saṃbuddhaśīlāya ca gandhadānaṃ⁴⁰ • sabhāprapārāmavihāragehām ccharanyadānābhimukho dadāti • (// 23 //)

d: M, S śaranyabhāvābhi- for ccharanyadānābhi-

dānam rasānām ca susamskṛtānām [2v1] rasārasajñatvaparigrahāya : bhaisajyadānāny ajarāmaratvam lokān imān prāpayi + + + + (// 24 //)

a: M, S tu for ca, b: M, S rasārasāgratva- for rasārasajñatva-41

d: M, S prāpayitum dadāti // 24 //

+ .. + .[u] tām ātmasamaṃ n[i]n. ṣur ddās. kṛtān kleśagaṇena lokān* (/) sa dāsadānāni sadā dadāti dāsānudāsān⁴² aparāṅ karo .i (// 25 //)

a: M, S bhujisyatām ātmasamam ninīsur, b: M, S dāsīkṛtān

c: M, S dāsadāsyādi for dāsadānāni, 43 d: M, S aparākarisyan for aparān karo(t)i44

.... ti puttr. + + + 45 [vi]drumādīm dadāti sallakṣaṇasampadartham* (/)

[2v2] ratnapradīpāni ca bhūṣaṇāni cittrāṇy anuvyañjanasauṣṭhavāya : (// 26 // = M, S 27)

a: M, S v.26: dadāti putrān duhitṛḥ. M, S v.27: suvarṇamuktāmaṇi-.

c: M, S ratnapradīptāni for ratnapradīpāni (T reads: sgron ma 'lamp')46

M notes [162, 20a]: "... the K ms. reading of "vicestitasya ..."; but her note is wrong as is pointed out by S [342, fn. 2].

^{38.} Cf. M's translation note on v. 20.3 (p. 269) says: The use of rati is somewhat unusal,"

^{39.} Cf. de Jong 1989: 238 points out M's mistranslation; also Sato 1991: 112, note on v. 21-1.

^{40.} Cf. M notes [162, 23b]: "pānthadānam, F, (F co.)"; S p. 329, 2.2. 1) c) 1.23b [gāndha°/pāntha°]/ e) 1.23b.

^{41.} See S's textual note (p. 343, fn. 1).

^{42.} For this word, see S's textual note (p. 343, fn. 2).

^{43.} Cf. M notes [162, 25d]: "dāsānadāsān K, F co. (dādānudāsān F)."

^{44.} Cf. S's textual note (p. 343, fn. 2): "wie $apar\bar{a}^{\circ}$ dann zu emendieren ist: $apar\bar{a} < n >$, $amar\bar{a} < n >$ oder ähnlich."

^{45.} Although verse 26 seems to start here, namely "(dadā)ti puttr(ān)", verse 27 intervenes; consequently the sequence of verses is different from present Sanskrit text: M, S25 = G25; M, S26 = G28; M, S27 = G26; M, S28 = G27 (sequence of G corresponds to that of the Tibetan translation, see S pp. 92-94; Sato 1991: 3, note 6).

^{46.} See S p. 93.

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dhyānārtham utpādya tapovanāni saddharmmakosāya ca vittakosam* (/)
munīndrarājyāya dadāty akhinno rājyāni cājñāpanamanditāni • (// 27 // = M, S 28)
    a: M, S udyāna- for utpādya, d: M -manditāni, K -panditāni, S -panditāni (S notes
[343, fn. 3]: brgyan T (= ^{\circ}mandit\bar{a}ni))
dadāti puttrān duhittrīh pryaś ca bodhipriyatvād anavadyadānam* (/)
ekāntasaddharmmaratipryaś ca krīdā[2v3]viśesān ratihetubhūtān* (// 28 // = M, S 26)
    a, c: M, S priyas for pryas
cakrāńkitābhyām caranottamābhyām sambodhimandākramanotsukatyāt* (/)
sa nirvicāras caranapradānam lokārthanispattikaro dadāti • (// 29 //)
    a: M, S nirvikāraś for nirvicāraś<sup>47</sup>
duhkhāpagāyām atiśīghragāyām magnasya lokasya kathan nu dadyām* (/)
saddharmmahastān iti sa pradatte<sup>48</sup> hastān vikosāmburuhaprakāśān* (// 30 //)
    b: M, S katham na for kathan nu, c: M, S sampradatte for sa pradatte
śraddhe[2v4]ndriyādeh paripūranārtham sa karnanāsādi dadāty akhinnah (/)
caksuś ca caksur vimalīkarisyaOn lokasya sarvāvaranaprahānāt* (// 31 //)
    a: M, S śraddhendriyādiprati- for śraddhendriyādeh pari-
utkrtya māmsāni sasonitāni dadāti kārunyavasena nāthah (/)
bhūmyagnivāyvambuvad eva me syāl lokopajīvyah katham esa kāyah // (32 //)
<sup>49</sup>majjānam apy adbhutavī[2v5]racesto dadāti lokasya katham na kuryām* (/)
tāthāgatam vigraham apradhrsyam vrstyāpi va⊙jrojvalayā patantyā • (// 33 // = M, S 34)
lokottamajñānasamāpanārtham sa uttamāngair api satkaroti •
abhyāgatasyārthijanasya yācñām prāg eva gāttrāvayavais tadanyaih // (34 // = M, S 33)
    d: M, S deh\bar{a}vayavais for g\bar{a}ttr\bar{a}vayavais [deha = g\bar{a}tra, 'body'] (T reads: lus)
ity evamādyam satatānavadyam tad bo[2v6]dhisatvāmbudharapramuktam* (/)
prahlādya dānāmbu jagat samagram sarvajñatāsāgaram abhyupaiOti • // (35 //)
    c: S praklādya for prahlādya<sup>50</sup>
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^{47.} See S's textual note (p. 344, fn. 1). Cf. M's translation note on v. 29.3 (p. 272); Sato 1991: 112, note on v. 29-1.

^{48.} For sampadatte? However, a drop of anusvāra is hardly seen in this manuscript.

⁴⁹ The sequence of verses in the extant Sanskrit version of the Nepalese manuscript is 33-34-35 but our G has different one 34-33-35. This sequence of G corresponds to that of the Tibetan translation (see S p. 97; Sato 1991: 3, note 6).

^{50.} It is not known why he emends so.

anviṣya bhogān viṣameṇa nāsau dadāti notpīḍanayā parasya⁵¹ • na ttrāsalajjāpratikārahetor na dakṣiṇīyān parimārgamāṇaḥ (// 36 //)⁵²

na ca praņīte na ti rūkṣadānam adakṣiṇīyān i[2v7]ti vāvamanya : vipākakāṅkṣākṛpaṇīkṛtaṃ vā satkārahīnaṃ vijugupsitaṃ vā • // (37 //) a: M, S sati for na ti⁵³; b: M, S adaksinīyā iti for adaksinīyān iti

naivānatim śīlavate prayacchan viparyayam gacchati netarasmai • nātmānam utkarṣati naiva nindām karoti so (')nyasya samaprayogaḥ // (38 //) a: M, S naivonnatim for naivānatim [T reads: mtho (mthon) Skt. unnati]⁵⁴

na cāsya mithyāśayadānam asti naivāsty anadhyāśayadānam asya (/) na krodhadosopa[2v8]hatam dadāti naivānutāpam kurute sa datvā • (// 39 //)

na ślāghamāno vipulam dadāti glāyam na caivāvipulam dadāti • na yācakānām upaghātadānam yadvā bhaved vipratipattihetuh (// 40 //)

a: M, S ślāghyamāno⁵⁵ for ślāghamāno, K ślāghamāno; b: M nāślāghyamāno 'nyataraṃ dadāti, K nāślāghamāno (')lpataraṃ dadāti, S nāślāghyamāno 'lpataraṃ, T ñuṅ bar (= alpataram)⁵⁶

nākāladānam sa dadāti kiñcid dadāti kāle viṣame (')pi naiva : na devabhāvāya na rājyahetor nna hīnayānaspṛhayālubhāvā • (// 41 //) d: M, S -bhāvāt for -bhāvā

nāsau [2v9] mukhālokanayā dadāti • na kīrttiśabdāya na hāsyahetoh (/) paryāyam etac ca mamaiva naivam • yadvā vihimsāsahitam pareṣām (// 42 //)

a: M, S $mukhollokanay\bar{a}$ for $mukh\bar{a}lokanay\bar{a}^{57}$

c: M, S paryāptam for paryāyam, M, S mameti for mamaiva; d: M, K vihimsāhasitam⁵⁸ for vihimsāsahitam, S vihimsāsahiutam⁵⁹

sarvajñabhāvāpariṇāmitaṃ vā • sadgarhitaṃ vā sa dadāti naiva (/) tato (')sya tat pāramitābhidhānam* parāṃ viśuddhiṃ samupaiti dānaṃ (// 43 //)

^{51.} Cf. de Jong [1989: 238] points out M's mistranslation of this verse; Sato 1991: 112, note on v. 36-1.

^{52.} Verses 36-39 in T are differently composed, see S p. 99. G corresponds to M, S.

^{53.} na ti: a scribal error? Cf. Sato 1991: 111, note on v. 37-1.

^{54.} See S p. 102; see also Sato 1991: 111, note on v. 38-1.

^{55.} See S's textual note (p. 345, fn. 1): gcam byas bkur źes (= ślāghyamāno). Cf. S p. 326, 2.1. 1.40ab [ślāgha-/ślāghya-].

^{56.} See S's textual note (p. 345, fn. 2-3).

⁵⁷. Cf. de Jong [1989: 238] points out M's mistranslation of this verse; also Sato 1991: 109-110, note on v.

^{58.} Cf. de Jong [1991: 184] proposes to read *vihiṃsāsahitaṃ* instead of *vihiṃsāhasitaṃ*; also Sato 1991: 110, note on v. 42-2.

^{59.} See S's textual note (p. 346, fn. 1); also cf. S p. 326, 2.1. 1.42d [°hasitam/° sahitam].

b: M, S sagarhitam for sadgarhitam

dānodbhavam tasya ca puṇyarāśim • lokāt samagrā[2v10]n api piṇḍitāni (/) puṇyāni naivābhibhavanti yasmāt* lokottamatvam sa tato (')bhyupaiti • // (44 //)

b: M, S samagrād api for samagrān api

paṃcasv abhijñāsu ca niścitātmā lokāya yad varṣati dānavarṣam* (/) samantatas tasya kutaḥ pramāṇam parikṣayo vā satataḥ pravrtteh // (45 //)

a: M, S viniścitātmā for ca niścitātmā, d: M, S satatapravṛtteh for satatah pravṛtteh

tad akṣayāṇām jagatām hitāya jñānasya hetuś ca tad akṣayasya • ttraidhātukena kṣayiṇā [2v10 ends] (na tac ca saṃlipyate vyomavad ambudena // 46 //)

a: M, S yad for tad, b: M, S yad for tad

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F, F co: A copy of the manuscript used by Ferrari (1946).

G: Gilgit manuscript of the *Pāramitāsamāsa* in the National Archives of India, serial no. 57, a birchbark manuscript, in Proto-śāradā, one folio, 38.4 x 6.8 cm.

GBM: Gilgit Buddhist Manuscripts, the facsimile edition edited by Raghu Vira and Lokesh Chandra.

K: A palm-leaf manuscript in the National Archives of Nepal, No. 5-145, microfilm A 39/2, in Newārī (Magadhi) script, 10 folios, 7 lines/side, 57 x 5.5 cm. 13-14th century.

M: Meadows' Sanskrit text, see Meadows 1986.

S: Saito's Sanskrit text, see Saito 2005: 337ff.

T: Tibetan translation by Vairocanaraksita, see Saito 2005.

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